



Township Register

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THE TOWNSHIP REGISTER, NILES, CALIFORNIA

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46 MEN LISTED DELINQUENT BY NILES BOARD

The following 46 men were listed last week as delinquent by Draft Board No. 75 at Niles. Anyone knowing the present whereabouts of any of these men are urged to have him contact the Niles office.

Order No.—Name—Last Address
5 — Benjamin Ellarena Reontoy,
Ft. Mason, Calif.

26 — Pedro Antelín Jacob, Sa-
linas, Calif.

29 — Mamerto Villaruel Ar-
menio, Mt. Mason, Calif.

326 — Paul Martin Robinson,
Livermore, Calif.

342 — Pacifico Geraldo Macahilas,
Ft. Mason, Calif.

377 — Andres Yocla Ibardolosa,
Ft. Mason, Calif.

440 — Cenaro Hernandez, De-
coto, Calif.

470 — Diego Rillera Estepa, San
Francisco, Calif.

565 — Frederick Russell Parks,
Pleasanton, Calif.

570 — Casper Brotarto Zambra,
Los Angeles, Calif.

605 — Beato Mural Tejano, De-
lano, Calif.

640 — Francisco Jipos Manonog,
Oakland, Calif.

801 — Catalino Binecta Cardinas,
Niles, Calif.

879 — Roman Belardo Barroga,
Niles, Calif.

903 — Dan Tobias Calope, San
Francisco.

919 — Leon Briones, Courtland,
Calif.

947 — Pedro Rabaca, Somerton,
Arizona.

971 — Pedro Tabason Manares,
Alvarado.

983 — Enrico C. Marte, Brook-
lyn, N. Y.

1084 — Frank Cadenaz, Decoto,
Calif.

1090 — Demasio Morales Cor-
tinez, Decoto, Calif.

1103 — Arthur Gonzalo, Alva-
rado, Calif.

1199 — Jesus Toledo, Alvarado,
Calif.

1205 — Felipe Arellano, Soledad,
Calif.

1256 — Ascension Charlie Ma-
cias, Azusa, Calif.

1294 — Manuel Munaz Aranda,
Alvarado, Calif.

1331 — Martin Paler Paso, San Lo-
renzo, Calif.

1335 — Santos Flores, Alvarado,
Calif.

1364 — Archie Allen McDonald,
Pleasanton, Calif.

1433 — John Bueno Biralde,
Seattle, Wash.

1655 — Ignacio Santoyo Care-
duenas, Decoto, Calif.

1678 — Jose Leon Perez, Alva-
rado, Calif.

1731 — Frederico Alvarado,
Niles, Calif.

1876 — Benito Lazo Castillo,
Pleasanton, Calif.

1912 — Antonio Holquin, Strat-
ford, Calif.

1926 — Theodore Albert Peter-
son, Los Angeles, Calif.

1972 — Joseph Henry Knicker-
bocker, Albany, N. Y.

2538 — Crawford Albert Barner,
Decoto, Calif.

2562 — Bennie Perez Gonzalez,
Newark, Calif.

2587 — Ronald Oakley Cantara,
Santa Clara, Calif.

2669 — Tom Joseph Garcia,
Livermore, Calif.

2673 — Juan Cordora (Cordova)
Decoto, Calif.

2680 — Manuel Valliangea San-
tilan, Pleasanton, Calif.

2703 — Daniel Flores Valdez,
Mexico.

2713 — Dale Lester Brown,
Pleasanton, Calif.

2739 — Jose Rucho, Pleasanton,
Calif.

SAILOR VISITS HERE

Gilbert Wright, formerly of Niles who graduated from the Naval Air Station at Alameda a few months ago, is now stationed at Moffett Field. He stopped in Niles to say hello to friends here last Saturday.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Friday afternoon, from twelve until three, the Service of the Hours will be held in the Presbyterian Church of Centerville. The Protestant Churches of Washington Township are uniting in this service. There will be special music by the Newark Choir, and solos by Mr. Carleton Brown and Mrs. Virginia Lord, from the Masonic Home.

CERTAIN CLASSES OF ALIENS MAY CLAIM EXEMPTION

PROCEDURE GIVEN HOW CERTAIN ALIENS MAY REMAIN HERE

With the issuance today of Proclamation No. 5, Lieutenant General J. L. DeWitt, Commanding General, Western Defense Command and Fourth Army, announced the classes of German and Italian aliens and of Japanese who may be entitled to acquire exemption from exclusion orders and curfew regulations. Virtually no Japanese can qualify for an exemption except Japanese minors resident in orphanages and those Japanese too ill or infirm to move. Thus virtually all Japanese are faced with evacuation.

Machinery has been established for receiving and acting on applications for exemptions, and no other requests for exemptions submitted other than through the prescribed channels will be considered.

"Only those persons qualified for exemption may make application and then only through the prescribed channels," General DeWitt stated. "Applications must be submitted in the form and manner specified, or not at all. Appeals for exemption submitted in the form of letters, telegrams or telephone calls will neither be considered nor acknowledged."

General DeWitt stated that the following classes of aliens are eligible for exemption upon furnishing satisfactory proof:

1. German and Italian aliens 70 or more years of age.

2. German and Italian aliens, parents, wives, husbands, children of, or other person residing in a household whose support is dependent upon) any officer, enlisted man or commissioned nurse on active duty in the Army of the United (or any component thereof), United States Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard.

3. German or Italian aliens, parents, wives, husbands, children of (or other person residing in a household whose support is wholly dependent upon) and officer, enlisted man or commissioned nurse who on or since December 7, 1941, has died in line of duty with the armed services of the United States indicated in the preceding paragraph.

4. German and Italian aliens, awaiting naturalization who had filed a petition for naturalization and who had paid the filing fee thereon or before December 7, 1941.

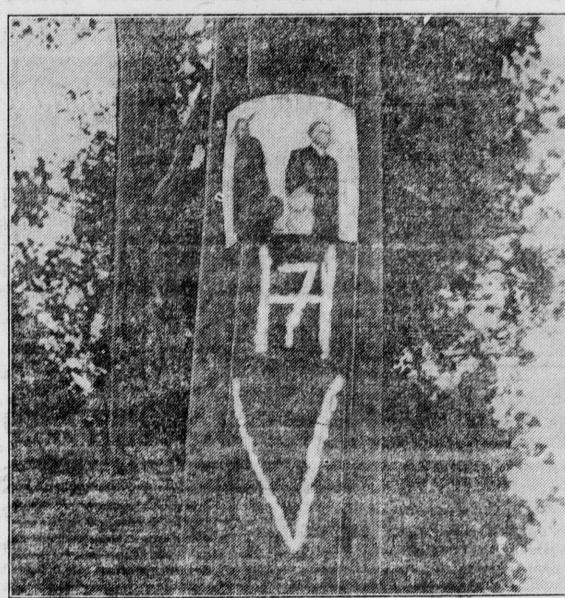
5. Patients in hospitals, or confined elsewhere, and too ill or incapacitated to be removed therefrom without danger to life.

6. Inmates of orphanages and the totally deaf, dumb or blind.

Blanks for filing applications for exemption may be obtained now from all post offices, U. S. Immigration Service offices, and U. S. Employment Service offices in the eight states, and from the War-time Civil Control Administration's 64 service offices in Japanese population centers of Military Area No. 1. Authorized persons will be at these offices during business hours to assist qualified aliens in preparing their application forms.

After exemption application forms are filled out, they must be submitted personally or by mail to the Selective Service Draft Board headquarters nearest to the applicant's residence. Should the Draft Board disapprove an application, it will be returned to the applicant. If the Draft Board approves an application, it will be forwarded to a designated military commander, with recommendation, for final action. If approved by the military commander, the Draft Board will issue the applicant a permit authorizing him to continue residence and employment in the prohibited or restricted district, exempt from curfew regulations.

Norwegians Defy Nazis



TESTIMONY to the spirit of independence which still burns brightly after nearly two years of German occupation is this photo of a telephone pole "somewhere in Norway." The pole bears a picture of King Haakon VII, Crown Prince Olav and the latter's little son, Harald, mounted on a horse, with patriotic Norwegians in spite of the heavy punishment which is inflicted on all those caught by the Germans. Under the picture are chalked an "H" for Haakon VII and V for Victory. Photo is one of several brought from Norway by a refugee who escaped to Britain by sailboat.

BERNARDO WINS SEAT ON WATER DISTRICT BOARD

CENTERVILLE — Manuel J. Bernardo of Centerville nosed out Joseph C. Shinn of Niles as director of the Alameda County Water District by 122 votes at the election held March 24 in Washington Township. Shinn was a charter director of the District and had served since its organization in 1913.

Bernardo was highman with 997 votes; W. D. Patterson of Newark, (incumbent) second with 982 votes; Frank T. Dusterberry of Centerville, (incumbent) third with 928 tallies and Shinn last with 875 bal-lots.

The new member was formerly a constable in this Township and is now an employee of the County Mosquito Abatement District.

Other members of the board, not up for election are Dr. E. M. Grimmer of Irvington and Louis Silva of the Alviso district.

The vote by polling places fol-lows:

	Bernardo	Dusterberry	Patterson	Shinn
Alvarado	102	79	101	75
Centerville	332	221	226	179
Decoto	123	77	77	80
Irvington	115	113	114	111
Mission S.J.	54	102	102	98
Newark	123	115	136	115
Niles	148	221	226	217
Total	997	928	982	875

Membership cards were passed out at Monday's luncheon meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce at the City of Florence Restaurant and each member was given a number of names of members and prospects to call upon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Horn Jr. of Niles are the proud parents of a baby son born Wednesday morning in the Alameda Sanitarium. Dr. L. H. Buehler is attending the mother.

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George W. Buckley, Farm Se-

SCOUTS SHOULD PLAN TO ATTEND SUMMER CAMP

CENTERVILLE — Assistant Executive W. T. Lindsay stressed the need for camp outings for Boy Scouts this year, during the luncheon meeting of the Township Co-ordinating Council held at the Washington High school cafeteria last Wednesday noon.

The Scouts are not needed to help harvest crops until about July 1 and the summer camp season at Diamond-T in the high Sierra opens early in June as usual. The Scouts should be given this opportunity for recreation, particularly this year, he said, when their services will be required in the orchards during the summer.

Meantime residents are asked to contact their local Scoutmasters if they have small jobs which Scouts can do and thereby earn a little money.

Chairman A. J. Rathbone reported that the state had sanctioned the plan of using student labor this summer, rather than importing thousands of Mexicans, but that the details of providing camps for such workers had not yet been worked out.

Deputy District Attorney Joseph Schenone, an expectant father, was given a "stork shower" of defense stamps by Miss Sheila Leachman, dean of girls.

SERVICE CENTER HELPING ALIENS TO SELL LAND

More than 160 Japanese and Japanese-American farmers who must evacuate prohibited and restricted military zones in Alameda County have listed their farming operations with the Farm Security Board agent at the Army's War-time Civilian Control Administration "service center" in Hayward, it was reported today.

George W. Buckley, Farm Se-

curity Agent, said that 60 qualified farmers wishing to take over operations on the land to be evacuated had also filed applications to buy or lease land. Numerous negotiations looking toward transferring operations on the land are under way," he said.

"The Japanese and Japanese-American land listed for sale or lease constitutes about 3000 acres of land, with the chief crops being tomatoes, truck gardening, berries and nursery stock. In addition to land there is a list of miscellaneous farm equipment and work stock available for sale at the local office.

"JUST IN CASE"

One of our townsfolk, Teddy Periera by name is all set. For what? Teddy has been getting a lot of ribbing lately. She believes in being prepared, just in case . . . This is her layout: a huge knapsack containing 1 blanket, 2 sweaters, 2 pair of slacks, 1 quart of water, a can of coffee, a can of milk and best of all, several candy bars to feed her dog "Tuffy" to keep him quiet so he won't bark at the enemy and give her hiding place away. Destination? The great open spaces in case of a real bombing.

NILES BULB SHOW OFFERS VARIED COLOR DISPLAY

By George C. Roeding, Jr., Pres. California Nursery Co.

If you like color in large or small doses for a case of spring fever, visit the Eleventh Annual Outdoor Bulb Show now in progress at Niles in Southern Alameda County. For small doses take a position in front of the rock garden and feast your eyes on a display of Sparaxis, Streptanthera, Chionodoxa, Leucocoryne, St. Bavo Anemones and miniature daffodils. Freesias and Gladiolus tristis concord fill the air with delicious fragrance. For large doses, wander leisurely through acres of spring blossoms created by flowering peaches and crabapples, azaleas, spiraea and thousands of daffodils, tulips, dutch iris, and other spring flower-bulbs.

Sparaxis and Streptanthera, natives of South Africa thriving in the Bulb Show rock garden, are brilliant with shades of yellow, orange, and red. To tell them apart, look at the base of the flower petals. Streptanthera have a dark dye to contrast with the brilliance of their cheerful coloring. Blues predominate in the sections devoted to Chionodoxa (Glory of the Show), Leucocoryne (Glory of the Sun) and Muscari Heavenly Blue. Cool whites of miniature narcissi Agnes Harvey, Thalia, and Pearly Queen find an attractive setting against sprawling Junipers, Cedar and Yew.

Have you seen the new anemones especially adapted to rock gardens? They are called St. Bavo; brilliant flowers are borne on low, compact plants; color range of this type is similar to the popular De Caen. Freesias bloom in a wide range of color, too. Albatre and Purity, both fragrant whites, vie for fame and fragrance among plants of Golden Wonder and lavender Marie Louise Fischer.

The Easter parade of tulips will be exceptionally good this year. Cardinal Manning, Pink Pearl and Prince of Orange bloom on sturdy stems in the Breeder class. The Cottage tulips are represented by Miss Blanche (pure white) and Mrs. Moon (deep yellow). Blue Eagle will be the most startling Darwin in bloom. Its rich dark purple is not surpassed by any in its class.

The spread of a large Park Weeping Cherry forms a perfect umbrella for White Queen, a Darwin Tulip opening pink and changing to white. This very nearly duplicates the color change of the weeping cherry. Both are in bloom at the same season and now is the time to see them at their best.

Students may now be graduated from the University of California in three years instead of four.

"More than 10 per cent of the farmers wishing to operate the land have requested assistance in getting credit through special Farm Security Loans authorized by the Army," Mr. Buckley declared.

Mr. Buckley requested all farmers wishing to operate land to be evacuated to report to him

SUNRISE SERVICE

IRVINGTON—The young people of the Christian Endeavor society will meet Sunday at the Irvington Community Church at 6:30 a.m. for an Easter Sunrise Service. The place is a surprise to the members, but the committee in charge will take the society to a selected spot in the near by hills. Mr. O. C.

Brown of the high school faculty, will speak to the society at the service. Mr. Wesley Nichols is arranging the program. David Webster is president of the society.

IRVINGTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

Three special services are being planned at the Irvington Com-

munity Church for Easter. The first will be the Church School program at 10:00, followed by the Easter morning worship at 11:00. At 7:30 in the evening, the church will be host to the Township-wide Easter evening service.

At the Church School Easter program at 10:00, members of the school will participate. The re-

sponsive service will be led by Miss Ruth Justus, Miss Rachel Williams will read the Easter story and Hugh McIvor will lead in prayer. The Beginner's department under the direction of Miss Elaine Justus, will sing two songs, and the Junior department choir will sing an Easter number. A special offering for missions will

be received, and the children present will enjoy a special treat.

Special Easter soios will contribute to the worship at the 11:00 o'clock service. Miss Ebba Rae Benbow will sing "Seeking Jesus," and Mr. O. C. Brown will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," as arranged by Fillmore. The minister, Arthur A. Kirk, will

preach on the subject, "And Jesus Met Them By the Way."

Rev. Carroll H. Pedersen of Pleasanton will preach at the 7:30 service, at which a choir of twenty two members will sing several anthems.

EASTER EVENING SERVICE

Rev. Carroll H. Pedersen of Pleasanton will be the guest speaker at the Easter evening service in the Irvington Church. As another special feature, a choir composed of singers from the various churches of the Township, will sing three anthems, "God So Loved the World," from the Crucifixion by John Stainer, "In Joseph's Lovely Garden," by Dickinson, and "The Strife Is O'er," by Palestina. Others participating in the service will be the host minister, Arthur A. Kirk, Rev. Richard C. Day of Niles and Rev. Jackson L. Webster of Newark.

NILES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Services for Easter Sunday. At 10 o'clock the Church School will hold its Annual Easter Service, with special music by the Junior Choir.

At 11 o'clock, Morning Worship and Sermon.

Special music by the choir will include the following: The King of Love My Shepherd Is, by H. R. Shelley, and In Joseph's Lovely Garden, traditional Spanish, arranged by Clarence Dickinson, and will sing as call to worship, Palestina's, The Strife Is O'er.

The minister will speak on the subject, "O Death, Where Is Thy Victory?" We cordially invite you

CHURCH OF THE HOLY ROSARY — DECOTO

Rev. T. Hennessy, Pastor
8:30 a.m. Second and fourth Sundays.
10:00 a.m. First, third and fifth Sundays.

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH NILES

Rev. T. Hennessy, Pastor
Hours of Sunday Masses
8:30 a.m. First, third and fifth Sundays.
10:00 a.m. Second and fourth Sundays.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH Centerville

Rev. Arnold J. Nash Rector,
11 a.m. Morning Worship.

WASHINGTON PRESBYTERIAN PARISH

Rev. J. L. Webster and Mr. Arthur Kirk. Pastors.

NEWARK CHURCH

10 a.m. Sunday School and morning worship.

6:30 p.m. Fellowship supper and "sing" every Sunday evening.

7:30 p.m. Children's story hour, Young People's Christian Endeavor, and Adult Discussion Group.

CENTERVILLE CHURCH

10 a.m. Morning Worship.

Sunday school — Younger children at St. James Episcopal older children at the Presbyterian church. Parents can attend the church service while the children are in classes.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"A good man out of the good treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is good." These words from Luke comprised the Golden Text used Sunday, March 29, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. The subject of the Lesson-Sermon was "Reality."

Included among the Scriptural selections was: "The Lord is good to all; and his tender mercies are over all his works. All thy works shall praise thee, O Lord; and thy saints shall bless thee. They shall speak of the glory of the kingdom, and talk of thy power; . . . Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations," (Ps. 145: 9, 10, 11, 13).

The following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, were also included: "All reality is in God and His creation, harmonious and eternal. That which He creates is good, and He makes all that is made. . . The Scriptures imply that God is All-in-all. From this it follows that nothing possesses reality nor existence except the divine Mind and His ideas," (pp. 472, 331).

HAM 'N' EGGS



IT'S EASTER MORNING

...and there's something you've been looking forward to these many weeks you've guessed it!—hot biscuits in honey, eggs over easy, and a big, thick slice of ham! Get ready for this happy feast. Ask your Safeway market man to select a fine, lean ham; just the right size for your family breakfast. Guaranteed tender, good eating or your money back.

FRESH EGGS

NULAD Large Grade A in ctn.—Doz. 40c
BREAKFAST GEM Large Grade A in the Dozen 38¢/Med. Grade A in ctn. 34c
SELECTED EGGS Small Grade A In Carton—Dozen 26c
(Time for coloring)

All Egg Prices subject to market changes

EASTER HAMS

You've no idea how good ham can be until you've tried one of our thick slices broiled a golden brown, nestled alongside of eggs cooked your favorite style. At Safeway you will find your favorite brands of ham (Swift's Premium—Armour's Star—Roths—Hormel—and other fancy brands) . . . all guaranteed to please you 100% or your money refunded in full.

BAKE YOUR FAVORITE WAY—TENDER

Swift's Premium Ham

Meaty 4½ to 5½-lb. Butt or Shank cuts

CUT FROM THE 7 CHOICEST RIBS

Prime Rib Roast

Tender full flavored—fine quality beef

pound 32¢

DELICIOUS BAKED LIKE HAM

Legs of Pork

Select lean size—sweet

picked—half or whole pound 29¢

TENDER MEATY SHOULDER RIB

Beef Pot Roast

The popular cut of beef for pot roasting

pound 29¢

T-BONE STEAKS

and Porterhouse steaks—cut for frying or broiling

pound 42¢

HAM SWIFT'S PREMIUM—Whole or full half ham POUND 39¢

GUARANTEED QUALITY—TENDER

SIRLOIN STEAKS

and Tenderloin steaks

37¢

PORK SHOULDERS

Try this fine flavored cut of pork

pound 21¢

BONELESS TENDER CUTS

CROSS RIB ROAST

FINE QUALITY—TENDER BEEF

pound 39¢

TRY IT FOR BREAKFAST—FRESH

PURE PORK SAUSAGE

Made daily at our modern plant—tastily seasoned

Lb. 28¢

FOR MEAT LOAVES—BROILING OR FRYING

FRESH GROUND BEEF

Selected lean beef and suet

pound 21¢

NOW FANCY CALIFORNIA SPRING LAMB

at all SAFEWAY MARKETS

delicious tender chops and roasts at our usual low prices

PLATE CORNED BEEF

Excellent flavor—choice cuts

pound 9¢

BOILING BEEF

tasty thirty plate rib cuts

pound 14¢

SAFeway Easter Values

Grapenut Wheat Meal—16-oz. can 2 for 25¢

Salt Morton's, Plain or Iodized—26-oz. shaker 7¢

Mustard French's—6-oz. jar 7¢

Jell-well Fruit Gelatin or Puddings Reg. pkg. 5¢

Desserts and Pudding Royal Assorted 6¢

Flour Globe A-1 26¢ No. 10 24½-lb. sack 1.14

No. 5 bag 39¢ No. 10 24½-lb. sack 85¢

Raisins Seedless—2-lb. cello. pkg. 15¢

Prem Swift's, Prepared Meat—12-oz. can 33¢

Deviled Ham Underwood—1½-lb. can 2 for 25¢

Olives Chopped, Bellis—4½-oz. can 9¢

Olives Los Olivos, Stuffed—4-oz. jar 19¢

Peaches Del Monte, Sliced or Halves 19¢

Peaches Del Monte, Sliced or Halves 22¢

Peaches Castle Crest, Sliced or Halves 2 for 35¢

Pears Harper House—No. 1 can 2 for 23¢

Pears Del Monte—No. 1 can 13¢



TOMATOES

Garden-side—No. 2½ can 2 for 23¢

MARSHMALLOWS

Fluff-i-est—1-lb. ctn. 14¢

4 sealed packages in each box

SODA CRACKERS

A-1—1-lb. ctn. 10¢

2-lb. ctn. 19¢

SALAD DRESSING

Duchess Pt. jar 23¢

Quart jar 37¢

MIRACLE WHIP Kraft's—Pt. jar 26¢

Quart jar 41¢

TILLAMOOK CHEESE

1-lb. bulk 33¢

BACON Swift's Premium 20¢

½-lb. cello. pkg. 19¢

CHEERIOATS Cereal—7-oz. can 2 for 23¢

Globe A-1—40-oz. can 28¢

BISCUIT FLOUR

Wilson or Valmont, Assorted—1-lb. jar 19¢

JAM Assorted—6-oz. jar 11¢

LIBBY'S PICKLES

Assorted—6-oz. jar 11¢

SAFeway GUARANTEED FARM-FRESH PRODUCE

PRODUCE BY THE POUND

It may seem strange at first to see your Safeway grocer selling oranges, grapefruit and other produce by the pound... but there's a good reason for this method of selling. Only when fruits and vegetables are sold by weight can the measurement be EXACT. So, in order that we are talking about when we advertise produce, and, in order that you will get the EXACT amount that you pay for, all produce sales at Safeway are by the pound. Come in today and make your purchases of "Safeway Guaranteed Farm-Fresh Produce" the EXACT way... by weight.

Potatoes U.S. No. 1 Klamath 10 lbs. 35¢

Colery Fancy Chula Vista 1 lb. 5¢

Lettuce Large Solid Heads 1 lb. 5½¢

SAFeway AVOCADOS Calavo or DeMarco 1b. 12¢

Fancy Sunkist Arizona Sweet 3 lbs. 10¢

Grapefruit SCHELL'S Sweet 1 lb. 4¢

Grapefruit The Skinned 1 lb. 4¢

Oranges Southern Navels 5 lbs. 20¢

Oranges Fancy Sunkist 1 lb. 5¢

Carrots Fancy Imperial 3 lbs. 10¢

Sweet Potatoes 2 lbs. 13¢

**NEWARK BALL CLUB
"BITES THE DUST"
IN SUNDAY GAME**

NEWARK — Les Vogel's Chevrole team of San Francisco did a swell job of applying the kalsomine brush to the Newark Sportsmen Sunday at the Newark school grounds with a final score of 7 to 0 in their favor. While they were busy scoring runs now and then, they combined air-tight pitching and fine defensive play to prevent any Newark player from reaching the pay-off station.

The boys from the West Bay Area went to work in the first inning and rattled some lusty hits off their bats to score two runs in the first inning. Joe Sanchez who performed the mound chores for the Newark Club kept the gate closed for any further scoring until the seventh inning when the Chevies scored their third run. In the interim however some sparkling fielding plays by Stanley Roderick, and Mervin Marshall stopped several scoring threats. Roderick came up with a running one hand catch that was a "lulu." Marshall spent the afternoon picking fly balls off the left field fence.

The big scoring threat by the Sportsmen came in the ninth inning when they populated the bags with two men out. They were unable to muster enough power to push a marker over the pan.

Next Sunday will be an open date in the schedule. Play will be resumed on the local diamond on April 12. The management plans to have a game at Newark each Sunday during the summer months, in which the best semi-pro clubs from San Francisco and Oakland will be engaged.

CENTERVILLE P.T.A. NEWS

The Centerville Elementary School Parent-Teachers' Association enjoyed an interesting meeting on Tuesday afternoon, March 24. Deputy Sheriff Ben Olson presented a magic show for the students and members of the P. T. A. Constable Tom Silva arranged for Mr. Olson's appearance. Sheriff H. P. (Jack) Gleason spoke to the parents on civilian defense. Sheriff Gleason was introduced by Ernest Sabina, Centerville Elementary school trustee. Mrs. Edward E. Chamberlain, president, conducted a short business meeting. A nominating committee consisting of Mrs. A. E. Rogers, Mrs. Loren Marriott, and Miss Mary Dias was appointed.

The annual benefit P. T. A. whist party will be held in the Centerville Elementary School auditorium on Friday evening, May 1, at 8:00 o'clock. Mrs. A. E. Rogers, Mrs. F. J. DeBorba, Mrs. George Roderick, Mrs. Ernest Sabina, Mr. Thomas Maloney, and Mrs. Loren Marriott will be in charge of arrangements.

Jim Crawford as chairman of the day, last Thursday showed fine colored motion pictures of "Incredible Rio" at the luncheon meeting of the Niles Rotary Club held at the Hotel Belvoir.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lindsay and son Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waynflete and family, Harold and Walter Kleinsaser, Ray Peterson and Jack Myrick enjoyed a picnic lunch Sunday afternoon at the Hayward Memorial Park and later attended the swimming carnival at the Hayward Plunge.

The Niles First Aid class meets next Tuesday evening at the Niles Grammar school with Dr. T. C. Wilson in charge. Members of the community who wish to aid in local defense activities are urged to attend.

NILES LOCALS

Miss Rosemary McDonald Correspondent

E. A. Ellsworth and Mrs. Palmyra Mosegaard were both ill late last week, so the Ellsworth office in Niles was closed a day or two last week.

A class of 85 boys and girls was confirmed at Corpus Christi church on Saturday at 3:30 p. m., Bishop Thomas A. Connolly officiating.

Assisting Bishop Connolly were Father Albert Mitchell, Secretary to the Bishop, Father James E. Healy of Bellermine school, Father Wm. F. Hennessy of Pleasanton, Father Anthony Morrissey of Hayward, Father Arthur Cantwell of San Lorenzo, Father James J. McLaughlin of Newark and Father T. Hennessy, pastor of Corpus Christi Church.

The S. Kawaguchi family, who have lived in Niles for many years moved this week to Auburn where Mr. Kawaguchi will operate a fruit farm.

Several members of the local Y. L. I. assisted with the entertainment of Service Men at St. Mary's Parish Hall in Oakland on last Sunday. Among those attending from De Guadalupe Institute were Mrs. Lena Bertolotti, president, Mary Texeria, Rose Andrade, Shirley and Adele Bertolotti.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn attended the Charter Day exercises on Thursday at the Greek Theatre and afterward were present at the Alumni Luncheon at International House.

Miss Celeste Bunker attended the meeting of the California Teachers Association held at Hotel Oakland on Saturday.

Bud Mellow of Niles is now with the United States Marine Air Corps at Pearl Harbor. Bud is a gunner and radioman and has been on active duty in Hawaii since December, 1940.

The Share-a-Like Club met at the home of Harold Houghton last week and this week at the home of Mickey Rose, president. The members have recently engaged in collecting tin foil.

The Washington Union High School Bicycle Club with its leader, Miss Muriel Fournier, took a ride into Niles Canyon last Saturday. A few of the members continued on to Livermore. On Saturday, April 11th, the Bicycle Club will ride to the Hayward Plunge and spend the day there.

At the next regular meeting of the Martha Sanford Circle on April 10th a Pot Luck family dinner will be served at 6 o'clock. Mrs. M. Perreia will have charge of arrangements and a program will be presented by Mrs. Ushner and Mrs. Fred Duffle.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds of Vallejo visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Sylvia on Sunday.

Norman Rogers spent a few days in Niles visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers before leaving Saturday for Santa Ana where he will be stationed. Norman was previously at Moffett Field.

Professor and Mrs. Harry Green of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Green of Albany spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitte. Professor Green is teaching at San Francisco State College.

The Laura Loma Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will meet with the Pleasanton Parlor on April 9th on the occasion of the official visit of Grand President Clarice Cook.

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Neighborhood NEWS

TOWNSHIP CHILDREN
ENJOY STORY HOURS
AT LOCAL LIBRARIES

Children in Washington Township enjoyed a second opportunity to attend Story Hours in several Alameda County Branch Libraries. Miss Florence Little, of the Alameda County Library headquarters staff, arranged another program of stories as she did during the Christmas season.

Miss Little, who is a specialist in children's literature chose to present Five Chinese Brothers, Why The Sea Is Salt, The Little Girl With Seven Names, Lottie's Valentine, and Osmo Says "North."

She also read some favorite poems. The Story Hours were held at the Decoto Branch Library on March 30, at Irvington on March 31 and at Newark on April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Winton Murray left Monday for their home in Minnesota. Mr. Murray has recently been employed at the California Nursery.

At the recent meeting of the Washington Union High School P. T. A. a request was made by Miss Leachman for old shoes, especially for elementary pupil needs. If the shoes are in need of mending they will be sent to the Central Trade School in Oakland for repair.

Miss Elsie Woodward has accepted a position with the Moore Dry Dock Company.

Mr. Sydney Carr is improved in health and was able to return home on Saturday from an Oakland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klinkle who have resided in Niles for 17 years moved to Oakland this week where Mr. Klinkle is employed.

NEWARK
Eugene Paschot
Correspondent

At a recent meeting of the Newark Fire Department it was announced that the department had received final approval for the Law and Order Group with H. J. Bolyard as Senior Air Raid Warden to assist the local fire department in controlling traffic and the public at fires. The approval came from the Sheriff's office in Hayward.

The annual meeting and election of the Newark Fire Commissioners will be held Monday at the Newark Fire Station. Polls will be open from 12 noon to 6 p. m. The candidate and incumbent on the ballot is Fred Muller.

The S. E. S. Board of Directors held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at the Newark Pavilion with J. M. Guardanapo presiding.

Many Newark Japanese families up to Monday evening, March 30 had left for their future homes elsewhere in unrestricted areas in California and neighboring states.

Following is the list of First Aiders in Newark which the Fire Department received recently: Dwight Cogswell, chairman; Gerhard Van Buren, V. C. Tuchsen, Mrs. Dwight Cogswell, James Collins, George Hinkley, Manuel Santos, Sam Scott, Orland Meneze and Mrs. Edith Hinkley. Get acquainted with these First Aid people as well as your Air Raid Wardens and Auxiliary firemen.

Richard Sarmento and Harold

P. T. A. NOMINATING
COMMITTEE TO
REPORT APRIL 14

A nominating committee was appointed at the last regular meeting of the Niles P. T. A. held March 10 in the school auditorium, as follows: Mrs. R. J. Calhoun, chairman, Mrs. William Lindsay and Miss Jeanette Veux. They will present the names of the new officers at the next meeting on April 14.

The president, Mrs. Fred Duffle, was instructed to write the county superintendent of schools for information on how to procure identification tags for school children. Free milk is being given daily by the P. T. A. to undernourished children at the school.

The recent luncheon given by the P. T. A. to the Senior Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary club was a decided success and thanks were extended to those who made it so.

At the next meeting a series of educational picture slides will be shown and an interesting speaker has been arranged for. Delegates will be elected to attend the district convention at Alameda on April 27. Mrs. Calhoun and Mrs. Hilliard Hale were delegates to the council meeting held in Livermore on March 19.

Caldeira attended the opening ceremonies of the Hayward Municipal Plunge Sunday evening.

The Women's Improvement Club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Texeria. Refreshments were served.

The Losetra Group met at the Newark Presbyterian Church Wednesday. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Gilbert Smith, president; Mrs. Hazel Peterson, vice-president; Mrs. Oscar Niethm, treasurer and Mrs. Clark Redeker, secretary.

The Newark school students since the beginning of January have purchased \$113.50 worth of United States Savings Stamps, according to Jack MacGregor, principal.

A group of Newark girls attended a Service dance in Oakland Saturday evening given by the Y. L. I. of Oakland.

Final plans were made this week for the Easter dance to be held Saturday evening at the Newark Pavilion.

Plans are now being made for a dance Saturday evening, April 11 at the Newark Pavilion to be given by the Lone Star Club of San Jose. Al Davina and his orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. Walter D. Armstrong of Elko, Nevada spent several days here this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Truscott.

The Newark Bridge Club met Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gygax. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. R. Kettman and baby daughter returned home Sunday from the Niles Maternity Home.

Mrs. Johnnie Hood of Oakland spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silva.

The Newark Sportsmen Club met Tuesday at Butler's Hotel with R. A. Jolly presiding. Further plans were made for a baseball dinner to honor the baseball club sometime in the near future.



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Niles

The Women's Missionary Society of the Newark Presbyterian Church met at the church Tuesday. The following officers were installed: Mrs. Sam Scott, president; Mrs. C. Kiou, vice-president; Mrs. Mabel Wright, secretary; and Mrs. Sadie Smyrl, treasurer.

The Newark school baseball team is anxiously awaiting the completion of their new backstop. This will be one of the finest backstops in Washington Township. The school's first game was played with Centerville on Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma Lee of New Orleans, who is now staying in Newark, spent Thursday at Sacramento visiting friends.

DECOTO NEWS
Mrs. Edmund Francis
Correspondent

Harry C. Seales has been confined to his bed with an attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Luna attended a baseball game in San Jose on Sunday afternoon.

A large number of Decoto children received confirmation at the Corpus Christi Church at Niles on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ferreira and daughter have moved into their new home on the Whipple Road here.

Peter Hernandez is spending two weeks at the home of his brother in Hayward.

Miss Lorraine Silva has recovered from a recent attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Souza and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Souza of Berkeley spent Sunday at the home of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Muniz entertained their nephew from Los Angeles at their home here last week.

Mrs. Joe Leitch and daughters from Pleasanton, spent the weekend at the home of her mother here.

Elmer Coit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Coit of Centerville, and a former Decoto youth, is now in the U. S. Navy.

CENTERVILLE

Miss Elizabeth C. Dusterberry is visiting with Miss Lillian Sandholm in San Francisco.

John Dusterberry is at home from Stanford University, spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry.

**ENGAGEMENTS OF
TWO LOCAL COUPLES
ANNOUNCED SUNDAY**

NEWARK — The announcement of the engagement of Miss Joy Brown of Newark to Corporal "Bud" Mellow, stationed with the United States Marines at Pearl Harbor, was made on Sunday, March 29.

An engagement dinner was held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mellow at Livermore, former residents of Niles. The engagement of their daughter, Miss Ramona Mellow to Jack Kelly of San Francisco was also announced at the same time.

Miss Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown of Newark and is completing her Senior year at Washington Union High School in Centerville, where she is president of the California Scholarship Society's local chapter, and is prominent in many other school activities.

"Bud" Mellow is a graduate of Washington High school with the class of 1939, where he was a well-known athlete. At the present time he is a radio gunner with the United States Marine Air Corps, and has been stationed at Pearl Harbor for the past sixteen months.

Miss Mellow is also a graduate of Washington High school and is a nurse at the United States Marine hospital in San Francisco.

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Those present were Mr. and Mrs. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Caldeira and daughter Loretta; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milani, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rocha, Mr. and Mrs. George Sweeney, Mrs. Eugene Boyce and son; Lillian Caldeira, Yvonne Caldeira, Harold Caldeira, Lucille Silva, and Richard Sarmento.

Mrs. Beatrice Davies of Oakland is visiting her mother, Mrs. Garrett Norris in Centerville.

An Easter egg hunt for the girls of the Centerville 4-H club, of which Beth King is president will be held on Monday at the home of Mrs. A. E. Rogers, where the club usually meets.

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WARTIME VACATIONS

(Editorial)

"Vacations can't build planes, tanks and guns—but they can rebuild the men who make the planes, tanks and guns!"

So declared Elliott M. Epsteen, to a group of several hundred advertising men who got their heads together recently at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco to discuss travel in California during the coming vacation season.

Morale of our army of fighters is highly important in this war. And morale of our army of workers behind the lines is just as important. Maintaining their health and good spirits to carry on under strain of long hours and intensive work is as big a factor in winning the final victory as the necessity for them to turn out precision planes and guns, ships and tanks.

Nobody has ever figured out a vitamin pill or a lamp ray to take the place or equal the enjoyment of a trip to the breeze-swept seashore, to the cool, green peace of the wooded mountains or to the golden, sunlit desert. Nothing out of a bottle can relax the nerves like a change of scene and respite, however brief, from the pressure of workaday tasks—for city dwellers to go to the country and country folk to go to town. Particularly is this true in wartime.

Long distance trips by auto may be pretty well out. But there is still plenty of room on the various public carriers for trips about the State. And Californians are lucky that they need to plan no long, out-of-state journeys to find the vacations they seek. Nature's glories are spread lavishly throughout the length and breadth of California, waiting and ready to help rebuild the morale and health and strength of people wise enough to know that vacations are more necessary than ever—in wartime.

WHISKERS FOR DEFENSE

Only one safety razor blade a week!

So orders the WPB. And bravely the men of America prepare to incur the noble scars of the Battle of the Bathroom, where the blood will flow from the chin nicked with the worn blade, the blade the little woman has used to scrape chewing gum off the kitchen linoleum, or the blade junior snatched to finish his model airplane.

Less resolute men (or braver men?) may give up shaving and face their fellows and gal friends sporting the kingly van dyke, the commoner spade beard, the ancient beaver, and all manner of beards. It will be the duty of the nation's women to encourage the luxuriant production of chin foliage, however it may



appall them.

Steel for offense comes first, nowdays—leaving only whiskers for defense.

PLACEMENT SERVICE FINDS JOBS FOR RECORD NUMBERS

HAYWARD—Thousands of persons are applying for work daily in California through local offices of the United States Employment Service.

This announcement was made today by Walter Gamman, local manager of the Hayward office of the U. S. Employment Service, when he said a total of 82,314 persons made new applications for work in February 1942, which represented an increase of 33,323, or

68 per cent over the total of 48,991 new applications made in February 1941.

Commenting on this increased use of public employment offices, Gamman said, "Employment Service statistics show that more than 27,700 women and 54,575 men applied for work in February 1942, making a total of 61,630 women and 120,314 men who have made new applications for work in California since the first of this year."

Gamman stated jobs filled by California offices during February 1942 totaled 43,435, an increase of more than 17,500 or 68 percent over the total of 25,925 made in February 1941.

Jobs found for persons in the Southern Alameda County area totaled 221 as compared with 106 placements made in February 1941 and 120 placements made in January 1942.

California's pine and redwood forests yielded enough lumber last year to build barracks for 1,500,000 soldiers, or to house the combined populations of San Francisco and Sacramento in six-room homes.

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR

Executive Secretary
Agricultural Council
of California

This is income tax time, the Ides of March for taxpayers!

And this year, with exemptions sharply reduced, rates drastically increased and new war surtaxes added, nearly every employed person in the country must ante up for Uncle Sam.

The man with small income must do his bit; the man with large income must do much more than a bit. Nearly every man, woman and child will feel the pinch of war's exactions. Nearly every one, soon, will realize that war is truly a business of "sweat, blood and tears."

In newspaper columns, on theatre screens, on billboards and on the radio, the message is being hammered home into America's consciousness: "Beat the Axis; Pay Your Taxes!"

But even though the people of the country have been bluntly told that they will have to give up half of their income before the year is done to pay for the tremendous war effort, there has been less grumbling on the whole this year about taxes than in bygone years when the burden was far lighter. In California or Maine, on the farm or in the city, in the low brackets or in the high brackets, patriotic Americans are making ready to give until it hurts. When they are giving their sons and husbands to the armed forces; when they are taking disruption of their businesses and their whole manner of life without whimpering, they aren't going to begrudge the money—support so essential to victory.

There is little of complacency now on the part of the American people. Slow to anger, but grimly determined when they once get their dander up, the American people are ready to take whatever comes, if they are convinced it is necessary to winning the war.

That does not mean, however, that the American people, when they are making every sacrifice their government asks them to make, are going to condone a "politics as usual" attitude in official circles. It certainly does not mean that when they are converting their peace-time industries to war-time production, and diverting their earnings from their families to their government, they are going to look kindly on public officials who still insist on extravagant expenditures for non-essential, non-defense activities.

The angry, caustic reaction

of the American people when Congress took time out from the war to vote its members life pensions ought to serve as a warning signal not only to official Washington, but to public officers in State and local government as well. The bitter outbreak against loading civilian defense with political parasites and social experimentalists ought to serve as a second warning, if a second were needed.

America is on its mettle: it is willing to give but it wants its government leaders to realize that they, too, are part of the American people—and that they, too, must sacrifice some of their peace-time luxuries.

America is willing to pay taxes to beat the Axis—and pay as much as the job requires. But if America ever wakes up to how much of its tax money is being spent for activities that have no bearing on the war—and which are a hang-over from the past decade of social experimentation and boondoggling—many of the men now in public office will not be there after the next elections.

Non-military expenditures of government—Federal, State and local—totaled more than SEVENTEEN BILLION DOLLARS for the past fiscal year, or \$131 per capita. As yet there has been no reduction in that colossal expenditure for non-war purposes, and while efforts are being made to reduce some expenditures, even more effective efforts are being made to increase others. As yet, there has been no evidence of any real willingness on the part of our politicians to make the sacrifices which they are constantly calling on the people at home to make. And it's high time that some of the men in high places should start making plans for conversion of government to a wartime basis. If government officials don't do it voluntarily, they are likely to do it under the whip-lash of an aroused public opinion. And if they can't remember Pearl Harbor, perhaps they should try to remember "Bundles for Congress"!

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EASTER

Easter means more to men in years of great travail, personal or national. To all men, of whatever faith, Easter symbolizes the triumph of faith and life over evil and death as no other day symbolizes it. This Easter finds the civilized world in the agony of its Gethsemane. To triumph over annihilation of all that freemen hold dear, the bitter cup of death, suffering and sorrow must be drunk by millions in many lands.

But as the Christ, after the sacrifice of his torment and death, rose from the tomb, so may Christian democracy, after the terrible sacrifices of war, rise triumphant to a new life of peace and happiness. This we may hope with stronger faith as we contemplate the miracle of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday.

COMPLAINTS OF THE PEOPLE REACHING WASHINGTON

Ray Tucker in his syndicated column, Washington Whirligig, in the following report gives us an idea that the "squawks" of the people re the boondoggling at Washington are finally reaching the ears of congressmen.

A lot of congressmen are up for reelection this year and they have to listen to the voices of their constituents. The report says:

Quote:

The current recalcitrancy of an overwhelmingly Democratic Congress represents a mail-order revolt. The economy orgy on Capitol Hill did not get underway because the boys and girls suddenly felt like saving money. In thousands of bitter letters they are hearing what the folks back home think of the goings-on here. This is a summary of the thought which the voters are taking their pens in hand to express:

They say they are glad to pay high taxes and buy bonds, but they do not want their hard-earned money spent on eurythmic dancers, movie stars, co-ordinators of crap shooting, propagandists, useless bureaus. They resent deeply the apparent tie-up between the Administration and labor which sanctifies a 40-hour week and overtime while their sons serve overseas for 21 and 30 dollars a month. They protest against the postponement of the Kimmel-Short court-martial. They think that Attorney General Biddle has been too tender toward aliens and radicals. They boil at Leon Henderson's rationing of their sugar while the AAA hands out millions as a reward for a cut in production.

"For God's sake," concludes a typical letter, "get busy and stick out your necks and begin a campaign to stop some of this foolish spending of our money and get down to the business of winning the war." Contrary to recent utterances by WPB'er Nelson and Speaker Rayburn, these homely, scrawled and erabbled words do not come from foreign agents who seek to spread strife throughout the land. They reflect the cry of an angry and anguished people.

PATRIOTISM DEMANDED!

On every work day lost, the war monster, spewing blood and breathing destruction, creeps one day closer to the American brothers and sons and husbands who will die in the last days of the war.

One wonders how close it has to come; how many mother's sons have to be lost forever, before the people — all the people — permit that old-fashioned emotion called patriotism to lift their hearts, their heads and their hands to the tremendous job to be done — the job which so far is only just started.

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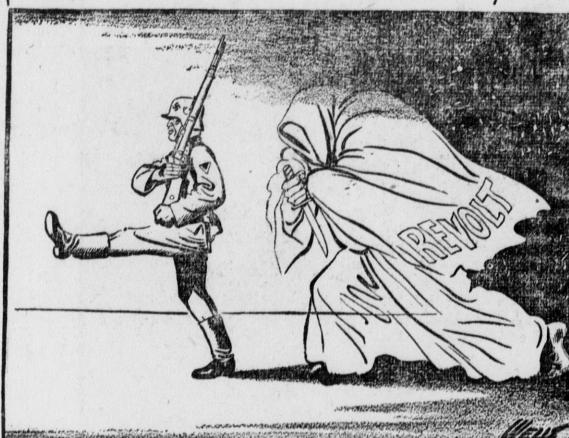
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THE HAUNTING SPECTRE—by Wells



*Like one that on a lonesome road doth walk in fear and dread
And, having once turned round, walks on, and turns no more his head;
Because he knows a frightful fiend doth close behind him tread.*

—Coleridge

POLITICAL PARADE

Political circles are buzzing with unconfirmed but persistent reports that President Roosevelt plans a spectacular, nation-wide speaking tour during the summer months — with California figuring prominently in his itinerary!

The proposed presidential tour, according to the story brought back from Washington by leading politicos, would give the President an opportunity to visit shipyards and aircraft factories and see the wheels of war production in actual operation.

More important, his advisors believe, is the fact that the President, by a swing through the country and a personal appeal to the people for all-out war effort, would put a patriotic punch into the production program which would make America's "ground crews" tackle their jobs with new vigor, and which might serve to double and treble the sales of defense bonds, or "victory bonds" as they may soon be called.

Still another factor which may have a bearing on President Roosevelt's final decision with respect to the suggested tour is the political situation. Party leaders, alarmed at public resentment engendered by the "pensions for Congress" fiasco, boondoggling tactics, countless delays in dealing with the labor problem, and other political irritants, are fearful that the Democratic Party will lose control of the House at the fall elections, and that several Democratic Governors will be defeated, unless they are given presidential first-aid.

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Speaking of congressmen, four members of the California delegation — two Democrats and two Republicans — have such enviable records that they will probably be unopposed when they stand for re-election, according to current indications.

The "Big Four" are Congressmen Clarence F. Lea of Santa Rosa (D), chairman of the powerful Interstate Commerce Committee; Harry L. Englebright of Nevada City (R), the GOP whip and House authority on mines and mining; Albert E. Carter of Oakland (R), a member of the House Appropriations Committee who has been to the fore in getting allocations for California war industries, and Alfred J. Elliott of Tulare (D), a comparative newcomer whose rugged aggressiveness has won him a standing in the House which many members wait years to attain.

STATE "JOY RIDE" IS OVER

"California has been the promised land — the citizens have been promised everything a colorful imagination can think of, but today the honeymoon is over. We've got to realize that we have to work just as hard here as elsewhere to earn a dollar and we are expected to pay our share of the cost of government. You can't get something for nothing in California any more than anywhere else," declared Senator Edward H. Tickle, of Carmel, state senator from Monterey and San Benito counties. Senator Tickle's subject was "A Senator Looks at California."

The increased costs of government can be directly traced to the over-mounting demands of the people for more and more services. The state govern-

ment went through a lot after the horse-and-buggy days of the 1930's, including the \$31,000,000 surplus, as of June 30, 1931, two bond issues to finance unemployment relief, and a change in the tax systems, enactment of sales, income and other taxes, and it dug itself a tremendous deficit into the bargain. Today it is out of the red, and a surplus, dependent on many conditions, is in prospect. That surplus is the result of the good work of the economy bloc of the Legislature and economies by state officials plus increased state revenues caused by the seeming prosperity resulting from the war.

"As we approach the second year of the biennium all good citizens must bend their efforts towards safeguarding the State's financial position. Officials and citizens should avoid all unnecessary expenditures and resolve to get along with less. In that respect, they will have less to get along with.

"We have been on a great joy ride and it is now at an end. We have not been particularly interested in what our governments were doing or what it cost, and that is at an end. We have been wanton in our extravagances, careless of our natural resources, and apathetic about the world in general, and that must be at an end, too."

WHO SIGNS UP FOR SUGAR FOR CLUBS?

With registration days for wholesale users of sugar set for April 28 and 29 at high schools throughout the nation, what arrangement has been, or is to be made for allotting sugar to clubs and organizations which put on public luncheons and dinners?

Here in Washington Township several organizations such as the women's groups of the several churches, the American Legion post and Auxiliary, the Country Club of Washington Township, the Newark Ladies Auxiliary, and probably many others, prepare and serve public meals several times a year.

After rationing becomes effective how are these organizations to get sugar for such meals? Does an officer of each organization have to sign up on the wholesale users' days? They obviously can't sign up on the private consumers' days, May 4 to 7.

This is a matter for local clubs to consider prior to April 27. Perhaps federal authorities will make some ruling prior to that date.

READ IT AND WEEP .

"The culminating phase of cultural change then becomes the disorganization of the subjective values of an old culture and their reorganization, sometimes along with cultural reintegration. In this form cultural development can be seen as consisting, in the main, of psychological movements; that is, thinking, feeling and acting, which move from synthesis to synthesis, each synthesis possessing coherence in some form."

The above treatise is not taken from a master's thesis on sociology: it is lifted direct from the 1940 edition of the Department of Agriculture's annual yearbook. This yearbook is published at considerable public expense; each congressman is allotted 400 copies to send to his farmer friends, and its perusal is supposed to instruct farmers in the secrets of agriculture and tell him how to raise better crops, — and pigs.

This is a prime example of the nauseating "la-de-da" which somehow attaches to the new deal.

Happily the house recently voted to suspend future publication of this once-venerable book, in order to save \$100,000,000 . . . the sacrifice reflecting congressional fright over the people's remonstrance against prevailing governmental extravagance.

Holler louder, folks! — W.W.

CANDIDATES TO WAGE "TIRELESS" CAMPAIGNS

The first qualification of a candidate for high State office in this year of war and priorities, our waggish sleuth reports, is a good set of tires. The situation is so critical, in fact, that candidates for Governor are threatening to put on a streamlined version of the famous Lincoln-Douglas debates, with several rival aspirants sharing the same car as they travel from town to town and knock each other from pillar to post. The boys won't even dare to cut corners on each other; they've just got to conserve that rubber.

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PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF
THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
ALAMEDA.

In the Matter of the Estate of
JERUSHIA J. FERRY, deceased.
No. 79683 Dept. 4

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, R. A. BLACOW, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of JERUSHIA J. FERRY, deceased, will sell to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court on or after April 21, 1941, all the right, title, interest and estate of said decedent in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

REAL PROPERTY in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

Lot No. 3, in Block lettered "B", as said lot and block are delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Map of the Sullivan Addition to Niles, Washington Township, Alameda Co., California," filed June 6, 1910, in Liber 25 of Maps, page 62, in the office of the County Recorder of the said County of Alameda.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE: For cash in lawful money of the United States of America, ten (10%) per cent of the purchase price, to be paid on the day of sale, and the balance on confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court.

All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of E. A. QUARESMA, Attorney for said Executor, at Irvington, California, or may be delivered to the undersigned Executor personally at the Central Bank, Niles, California, or said bid or offers may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated: March 27, 1942.

R. A. BLACOW
Executor of the Last Will and
Testament of JERUSHIA J.
FERRY, deceased.

E. A. QUARESMA, At-
torney for said Executor,
Irvington, California.

Published in The Township Register, Niles, April 3, 10, 17, 1942.

PUBLIC (Legal) NOTICE**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

Hayward-Niles Highway, Niles
Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer
Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

ALICE CAREY

PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

No. 79987 Department 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of CATON LAWRENCE, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent, to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either, file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

CARRIE C. LAWRENCE
Executrix aforesaid
Dated and first published
this 6th day of March, 1942.

E. A. QUARESMA
Irvington, California

Attorney for said Executrix.

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THE GOVERNMENT has gone

and done it! Actually, soldiers can soon send their letters home free, without postage. Men in service need just write their names and organizations on the upper right hand corner of the envelope, where the stamp should go, and the word "FREE" in the upper left hand corner, where the return address usually goes.

When one considers the tons of

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DRAFT REGISTRANTS TO FILE STATEMENT OF WORK SKILLS

Every man between 20 and 44 years of age who registered for Selective Service on February 16 must fill out an occupational questionnaire which his local selective service board will send to him within a few days. The form must be returned to the selective service board within ten days after receipt.

The purpose of this occupational registration, according to the United States Employment Service, is to provide the government with a complete occupational inventory of its manpower. This information, it was said, will avoid induction into the armed forces of men more urgently needed in war production and will also speed the output of war materials by promoting the transfer of workers from non-essential to essential work.

Each questionnaire is in two identical parts — one for the selective service system and one for the United States Employment Service. Information is requested on the registrant's present job, his education and the kind of work for which he considers himself best fitted.

Applicants needing help in filling out the form should ask assistance from their employer, their labor union, the local office of the U. S. employment service or from a member of the selective service local advisory board. No fee will be charged for the service.

The same form will later be mailed to men who registered for selective service in 1940 and 1941, except to those now in the armed forces, and also to those from 18 to 20 and from 45 to 64 who are still to be registered.

The rain gauge at the Southern Pacific depot at Niles went to work on Tuesday, as .21 of an inch fell up to Wednesday morning, making a total of 20.75 inches thus far this year.

For fire-prevention, farmers are urged to remove all grass and weeds from around houses and buildings.

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April 8, 9

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WE WERE DANCING

Bowl Nite Wednesday

DECOTO CANNERY PACKING SPINACH

DECOTO — Sixty women are now at work on the spinach pack which began last week at the Jos. Pearce Canning company here. No labor shortage is anticipated because the work is usually done by women, according to Joseph Pearce, manager. Several hundred women are registered for work when the apricot canning season begins about July 1.

The Booth Cannery at Centerville is not packing spinach this year, but will open up on apricots at the usual time this summer.

WATER DISTRICT OFFICERS HONOR JOSEPH C. SHINN

Tribute adopted by Board of Directors of Alameda County Water District, to Joseph C. Shinn on his retirement from the Board after thirty years of service. Centerville, Calif., March 26, 1942

CENTERVILLE — For more than forty years Joseph C. Shinn has been intensely interested in our subterranean water supply. He was one of the first to foresee the damage that would result to agriculture and our domestic water supply by diversion of the waters of Alameda Creek. He was a leader in the voluntary organization that was formed to resist the invasion of our rights, and contributed liberally of time and money in that effort. He was one of those who led in the formation of our District and gave unstintingly of his time in having the required legislation adopted by the State Legislature. He was the first president of this Board and occupied that responsible position for fifteen years.

As a member of our Board since 1913 he has brought to the service of the district an unrelenting and loyal attention to every duty, an exact and candid judgment dominated by principle and a crystal conscience. The members of this Board, and the entire district, are deeply indebted to Joseph Clark Shinn for his foresight in preserving our water and for his many years of unselfish and loyal devotion to the interests of Alameda County Water District. As he retires to private life we want him to know that we appreciate having had the opportunity and privilege of working with him, and pledge that we will continue the work so ably initiated by him.

Joe, we wish you long life, health, happiness and prosperity. E. A. Richmond, General Manager; George Clark, Attorney; H. F. Harrord, Secretary; S. E. Runckel, Assistant Secretary; W. D. Patterson, F. T. Dusterberry, E. M. Grimmer, Louis S. Amaral, Directors.

POPULATION INCREASES, BIRTHRATE REDUCES SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Between the 1930 and 1940 census takings, the population of Alameda county increased 8 per cent, but during the same period the number of children in elementary average daily attendance in the public schools of the county decreased 8 per cent, a study recently completed by California Taxpayers' Association shows.

Throughout the state, the association found, population increased 22 per cent, but during the same period elementary average daily attendance increased only 3 per cent. During the ten-year period, while the state population was increasing 1,230,000, elementary average daily attendance increased only 17,000, going from 657,776 in 1930 to 674,959 in 1940.

Major cause for this slow-down in elementary school attendance was the low birth-rate, both nationally and in California, in the period between 1922 and 1933, the association said. Since 1933, there has been a rapid rise in birth rates, which is reflected in the up-turn in first grade enrollments in California schools in 1940-41. Between 1927-28 and 1939-40, the association stated, first grade enrollments dropped from 142,385 to 109,546. The first year in which births since 1933 appear in the first grade was in 1940-41, which showed an increase of almost 4,000 enrolled in the first grade, compared with the low point for the preceding year.

The Irvington P. T. A. will next meet on Thursday evening, April 9 at 8 o'clock in the Irvington Grammar school, according to the president, Mrs. Elsie Soito.

ALIENS MAY NOT LEAVE COAST EXCEPT BY ORDER

Restriction of movements of aliens and Japanese Americans was tightened Friday, when the curfew established by Proclamation No. 3 of Lieutenant General J. L. DeWitt, Commanding General, Western Defense Command and Fourth Army, became effective.

Late Thursday, General DeWitt signed Proclamation No. 4, prohibiting all Japanese — aliens and non-alien alike — from leaving Military Area No. 1, comprising Western Washington, Oregon and California and Southern Arizona, except as the Army shall order or direct. This "freezing order" became effective at midnight Sunday.

Violations will be acted upon under Public Law No. 503, 77th Congress, approved March 21, 1942, which carries a penalty of one year's imprisonment or \$5000 fine, or both, General DeWitt warned. He pointed out that the penalty applies to violators of both the curfew proclamation, and the proclamation prohibiting Japanese from leaving Military Area No. 1. He also urged all citizens to report any known violations of the law to police authorities of their district.

"Proclamation No. 4 forbids any movement by Japanese or Japanese Americans from Military Area No. 1, for any purpose after midnight Sunday," General DeWitt declared. "This means Japanese can evacuate only under military control. After Sunday, all movements of these persons will be regulated by the Army, for the protection of the Japanese, and to insure that proper shelter awaits them at their designated destination."

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP CLUB TO MEET NEXT WEDNESDAY

The directors of the Men's fellowship club of the Niles Congregational Church met on Thursday night of last week in the office of the president, E. F. Glassbrook to plan the next regular dinner to be held Wednesday evening, April 8 at 6:30 o'clock.

Reverend Richard Day was made program chairman. John Galvin and Fred Duffie will assist in the dinner preparations if their duties have not called them elsewhere at that time.

The usual fine dinner will be prepared and served by the men and an entertaining program will be provided.

The Pacific Coast salmon pack last year rose 41 per cent over 1940.

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS**

The Distinguished-Service Cross is awarded to persons who, while serving in any capacity with the Army of the United States, distinguished themselves by extraordinary heroism in connection with military operations against an armed enemy. This decoration was instituted by executive order in January, 1918, and confirmed by Congress July 9, 1918.

It is a cross of bronze with an eagle in the center and a scroll below the eagle bearing the inscription "For Valor." On the reverse is space for the recipient's name. The cross is suspended by a ring from a watered-silk ribbon, composed of a band of red, white, blue, white, and red. (Blue, an inch in width, predominates.)

TOWNSHIP SCOUTS PARTICIPATE IN SWIMMING MEET

Washington Township Boy Scouts participated in several swimming events at the aquacade held Sunday afternoon when the Hayward Plunge was opened for the season.

The Decoto troop won second in two relay events, its team consisting of Vernon Vargas, Ignacio Quirize, Frank Gallegon and Gilbert Bravo.

The Niles troop won third place in the straight relay, its team consisting of Earl Silva, Ray Peterson, Jack Myrick and Andrew Lindsay.

Irvington won third in a sweat shirt relay, the Scouts participating being Douglas Mayock, Don Silvia, Frank Betchart and Ray Allender.

Silver and bronze medals for second and third places respectively will be presented at the next court of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pearson of Niles drove to Oakdale on Saturday to visit her parents. They returned on Sunday bringing her sister, Miss Adabelle to visit with them here until Easter.

Californians are eating more beef than in any previous year.

TOWNSHIP NOW HAS TWO MOBILE FIRST AID UNITS

CENTERVILLE — Dr. George S. Holman of Centerville, Chairman of Red Cross Doctors for Washington Township and John Ray Truscott, Chairman of First Aid have set up the following personnel for the two mobile units secured for the Township.

— **Centerville Fire House Unit**

Motor Vehicle, by Joe Bauhofer, driver Eugene Ramsell;

Doctor in Charge, Dr. L. H. Buehler;

Nurse, Mrs. A. B. Leask;

First Aiders, L. F. Whitbeck, Dorothy Marriott, Mildred Wauhab, Charles Wauhab.

— **Newark Fire House Unit**

Motor Vehicle, by Paul Gygax,

driver, V. C. Tuchsen;

Doctor, Dr. E. A. Westphal;

Nurse, Mrs. Allen Walton:

First Aiders, T. C. Gunn, George L. Hincley, Dwight Cogswell, A. A. Alberts.

These units will be available for use at any point in the Township. Call Doctor Holman Centerville or J. R. Truscott, Newark 3601, according to F. T. Dusterberry, Chairman of Red Cross for Washington Township.

EXTRA CASH FOR BANK SELECTEES

Every employee of the Bank of America drafted for service in the U. S. armed forces, or who volunteers for such service, is paid an extra half month's salary as soon as he is established in his training center, it became known today. He is also granted leave of absence for the period of his service, and his seniority is preserved. In addition, the bank contributes to his Government insurance premiums.

GRAND PRELATE VISITS

CENTERVILLE — Last Thursday John A. Zatrain, of Los Angeles, Grand Prelate of Knights of Pythias made an official visit to Centerville Lodge No. 170. He holds a commission as Major in the Uniform Rank and a large delegation from Elmerit Company in uniform was present which gave a decided military appearance to the gathering. The Grand Prelate gave an inspiring talk on the aims and ideals of the order, and told of attention being given members in the service of our country and of the Uniform Rank's work in civilian defense. Following the meeting refreshments were served by the lodge.

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